

COMMERCE

Additional article signed at Washington February 25, 1885, supplementing convention of January 20, 1883

Senate advice and consent to ratification March 20, 1885

Ratified by the President of the United States November 12, 1885

Ratified by Mexico November 12, 1885

Ratifications exchanged at Washington November 27, 1885

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Proclaimed by the President of the United States May 4, 1886

Expired May 20, 1886

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ADDITIONAL ARTICLE TO THE COMMERCIAL CONVENTION CONCLUDED AT WASHINGTON, JANUARY 20, 1883, BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE UNITED STATES OF MEXICO

The United States of America and the United States of Mexico, deeming it expedient to extend the time for the approval of the laws necessary to carry into operation the Commercial Convention between the two Governments concluded at Washington, January 20, 1883,¹ fixed in Article VIII., of said Convention, have agreed upon an additional article and have appointed as their Plenipotentiaries:

The President of the United States of America, Frederick T. Frelinghuyssen, Secretary of State of the United States of America, and

The President of the United States of Mexico, Matias Romero, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States of Mexico at Washington;

Who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon and concluded the following article:

ADDITIONAL ARTICLE

The time originally fixed in Article VIII. of the Commercial Convention between the United States of America and the United States of Mexico, concluded at Washington, January 20, 1883, for the approval of the laws necessary to carry it into operation, is hereby extended to May 20, 1886.

¹ TS 223, *ante*, p. 855. The convention was never operative.

This additional article shall be ratified by the contracting Parties, in conformity with their respective Constitutions and its ratifications shall be exchanged in Washington as soon as possible.

In faith whereof we, the undersigned, in virtue of our respective full powers, have signed the present additional article in duplicate, and have hereunto affixed our respective seals.

Done at the City of Washington the 25th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five.

FREDK. T. FRELINGHUYSEN [SEAL]

M. ROMERO [SEAL]